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Invention: METHOD OF PATTERNING NOBLE METALS FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES BY ELECTROPOLISHING

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2002 (Paper No. 7), finally rejecting claims 29-54, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. Patent application in view of the following remarks:

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